

## TIGERS CRIMPED BY MIGHTY MOSER

Roanoke and Lynchburg Divide, Former Losing Last in Ninth Inning.

## CROWDS BREAK THE RECORD

Enthusiasm Was at a High Pitch and Excitement at Fever Heat.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
ROANOKE, Va., September 6.—Roanoke and Lynchburg split even in the two games played here to-day, Roanoke winning in the morning by the score of 5 to 3 and Lynchburg in the afternoon by the score of 3 to 2. Both contests were full of sensational plays, and every man put up the best that was in him.

Two unfortunate errors were responsible for Roanoke's loss of the afternoon contest, Newton and Painter both throwing wild in the ninth inning, when the score was a tie, and advancing S. Bligie, who crossed the plate on Lawrence's single, after two men were down.

The largest crowd of the season was in attendance at both morning and evening games, the total attendance being perhaps the largest that has ever been known here at a ball game. Enthusiasm and excitement were at a high pitch.

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Bligie, 1b, 3 1 0 0 0  
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Fowler, 4b, 1 1 0 0 0  
Dane, 5b, 1 1 0 0 0  
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Hill, 7b, 1 1 0 0 0  
Hickman, 8b, 1 1 0 0 0  
Palmer, 9b, 1 1 0 0 0  
Totals, 21 17 10 0 0

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Bligie, 1b, 2 0 0 0 0  
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Fowler, 4b, 1 0 0 0 0  
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Double Victory Increases Norfolk's Chances to Nose Roanoke Out in Race.

## 9,500 SAW THE GAMES

Stickwork at Opportune Times Saved the Tars—Results Cause Rejoicing.

(Special to The Times-Dispatch.)  
NORFOLK, Va., September 6.—Superior all-around playing and opportune use of the stick gave Norfolk two games against Portsmouth to-day, by the scores of 3 to 1 and 3 to 2. In the morning game Temple was invincible in the pinches, and contributed to the victory of his club with a double. In the afternoon Fox outpitched Vail. Over 10,000 people witnessed the two games. Norfolk is well over the result of the contest, and baseball is the talk of the town.

The Truckers went after both games with a vengeance, and it seemed often that they would win out. Men on both teams played heady ball, and went after everything that came their way. The exhibitions were the equals of any ever seen here or in Portsmouth. The scores:

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## HUNDREDS GREET WAYMACK WHEN PRIZE IS PRESENTED

"Ladies and Gentlemen,—It gives me great pleasure, at the request of The Times-Dispatch, to present the \$50 in gold offered by that newspaper to the most popular player in this league to John Waymack, the Manchester boy. I congratulate you, Mr. Waymack, upon the cordial support you have received, and my hope is that your career may be a successful one."—Umpire Pender in making the award of the prize offered by The Times-Dispatch just before the teams representing Richmond and Danville began the afternoon game yesterday.

In tones that could be heard by those occupying the grandstand and bleachers, the veteran baseball official yesterday called the young Southside southpaw to the plate. Richmond had taken the field, and a Danville batter was standing at the plate, when John Waymack, while hundreds of fans cheered, stepped onto the field of the player's bench and moved forward to accept the honor his hundreds of friends in Virginia had labored so diligently to win for him.

It was all over in a few minutes. Waymack stopped long enough to express his appreciation, and as he walked back toward the grandstand, his cap in hand, he bowed his acknowledgments again and again.

That the choice was popular was evidenced by the cheers as well as by the thousands present, many of whom would not have been there except to see the Manchester boy, whose career in baseball has scarcely yet begun to take the purse containing the golden coins.

In Manchester, where Waymack has spent the greater part of his life, the whole town worked for him, and that he was a local boy—as much a part of Richmond as of Manchester—was evidenced by the prize.

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## STATE TRAPPERS HOLD BIG SHOOT

W. L. Boyd Is Best Amateur, With 190—Meet in Roanoke Next.

Forty-five contestants faced the traps at the Deep Run Shooting Club yesterday in the annual meet of the Virginia State Trap-Shooters' Association, and good scores were made. The day was a little windy, but this did not interfere materially with the records, and a large crowd of spectators stayed throughout the day to enjoy the sport. The field was a large one, and from early morning until darkness the guns roared constantly.

Mr. Taylor, a professional, broke the record in the remarkable score of 197 out of 200 shot at. Mr. German, another representative of one of the large powder firms, was second high professional with 193. There were many other well-known and experienced shots on the ground, and as one after another of the clay targets dropped in splinters behind the shed, the crowd of 300 or more witnesses cheered. It was the greatest meet ever held by the association.

**Boyd Is Best Amateur.**  
W. L. Boyd, an amateur, in breaking 190 out of a possible 200, surpassed the Deep Run ground record for a local amateur. H. L. Winfree, of Lynchburg, was second with 186, and W. R. Winfree, W. G. Hall and English tied for third place with 184 each. Probably the most interesting event of the day was the three-man team race. The Deep Run team—Hammond, Hillman and Boyd—won the cup with the record of 183.

This team won the prize in 1907, with 130, and in 1908, with 152. This record has never been equalled by any Virginia team.

Three consecutive winners by the Richmond shooters in recorded quite an honor. The individual scores were: Hammond, 47; Hillman, 46, and Boyd, 45. The gun event shoot, distance handicap, proved one of the most interesting events of the day. Hammond, taking the prize, won out with 24. English, of Bristol, a very handsome gun, was second, and received the second trophy. The Lynchburg team won second in the team race with 132.

The association held a meeting at Murphy's Hotel last night, and decided to hold the next annual meeting at Roanoke on next Labor Day. Officers were elected as follows: Boyd, of Richmond, president; Crouch, of Roanoke, vice-president; and Polindexter, of Roanoke, secretary and treasurer.

Mr. Crouch, in accepting his office, stated that his city would leave nothing undone to make the next meet, if possible, even more successful than the Richmond event.

The contestants will face the traps at 9 o'clock to-day, when the 190 race for the championship of the State will begin. This will probably be the most interesting event of the two-day trials, as professionals will be barred, and an amateur will be awarded the honor.

**Scores yesterday:**  
Taylor, 197  
German, 193  
Glover, 193  
Hatcher, 191  
Boyd, W. L., 190  
Winfree, H. L., 186  
Winfree, W. R., 186  
Hall, W. G., 184  
English, 184  
Storrs, 184  
Stearns, 184  
Johnson, 184  
McKinnon, 184  
Hammond, 184  
Klarke, 184  
Watson, 184  
Terry, 184  
George, 184  
Keller, 184  
Lewis, 184  
Seitz, 184  
Blanton, 184  
Gunter, 184  
Sproul, 184  
Flippin, 184  
Shepherd, 184  
Boyd, C. N., 184  
Brown, 184  
Hall, R. A., 184  
Jamison, 184  
Moore, 184  
Prentiss, 184  
Hawood, 184  
Richardson, 184  
Lockett, 184  
Couch, 184  
Tucker, 184  
Tignor, 184  
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